Track team ends season

MEMBERS OF THE ACHS TRACK team who attended the Seminole District meet (front, from left) Donnie Scruggs, Karen Stevens, Terri Moore, LaDell Wright, Ruby Smith, Corrine Hubbard, Kim Shupe, Malcolm Miller; (back row, from left) Coach Gary Cuccio, Jack Williams, Tim Williams, Walter Hurt, Jeff Fanney, Todd Scruggs, Wayne Phelps, William Thornton, Freddie Napier, Roy Trent, Charles Walker, Coach Ray Archer, Coach John Moon. (Photo by Bill Sherrod)

The 1982 Appomattox County High School track season ended with the boys' squad compiling one team victory against four defeats, while the girls compiled four team victories against one defeat.

Wayne Phelps (pole jump), William Thornton (triple jump) and Donnie Scruggs (200m) all competed in the district meet for the Raider team. Scruggs and Phelps advanced to the regional meet, and Phelps, who placed third in the regionals, went on to compete in the state Group AA Track Meet.

On the girls' team, Karen Stevens, Ruby Smith, LaDell Wright and Terry Moore all advanced from the district meet to the regional meet this season.

Stevens placed in the mile and two-mile events in the district meet, Wright competed in the 200m in the regional meet, and Moore competed in the 400m event in the regional.

Smith won the 400m in the district meet, placed second in the regional meet, and competed in the 400m, the hurdles and the long jump in the state meet.

In addition, the girls' mile relay team, consisting of Ruby Smith, Terry Moore, LaDell Wright and Kim Shupe, won the district race and placed second in the regional meet.

None of the ACHS track team members scored in the state meet.

Coach Ray Archer commended the efforts of all the athletes who participated in this year's track program. He was particularly impressed with the efforts of Charlie Walker, Malcolm Miller, Wayne Phelps and William Thornton on the boys' team, and with the efforts of Ruby Smith, Kim Shupe and Karen Stevens on the girls' team.

Softball tourney slated

There will be a double elimination softball tournament June 25-27 at the Appomattox town ball park.

An entry fee of $50 per team will be charged, and a limited number of entrants will be allowed.

Teams interested in participating in this event should call 352-8183 or 352-5091 for entry forms.

The tournament is being sponsored by the Spout Spring Ruritan Club.

Local baseball results

Monday, May 24

The Reds defeated the Phillies 2-0. Lonnie Hamlett pitched a one-hitter as the Reds took their first win. Brian Wright pitched well for the Phillies.

Tuesday, May 25

Kevin Kendrick and Tom Cobb each had three hits as the Angels came from behind to win a high-scoring contest, 21-11. Dwayne Patterson added two hits and pitched two innings in relief for the winning team.

Wednesday, May 26

The Tigers defeated the Reds, 8-3.

Thursday, May 27

Phil Bollinger, Mike Ferguson and K. L. Waldo led the hitting and Paul Johnson was the winning pitcher as the Phillies defeated the Angels. Chris Reynolds and David McCracken played well on defense for Phillies.

Team	W	L
Angels	3	1
Phillies	4	2
Tigers	2	4
Reds	1	3

LITTLE LEAGUE STANDINGS

Minor League

Games	Winner	Score
Reds & Angels	Angels	10-9
Yankees vs Pirates	Pirates	13-12
Royals vs Angels	Angels	6-3
Cardinals vs Pirates	Cardinals	20-9
Reds vs Oakville	Oakville	
Royals vs Yankees	Rained Out	
Cardinals vs Redsox	Redsox	8-3

STANDINGS

American League	W	L	National League	W	L
Redsox	8	0	Oakville	7	3
Angels	6	3	Cardinals	5	5
Royals	4	4	Reds	2	8
Yankees	2	6	Pirates	2	6

Major League

Games	Winner	Score
Braves vs Redsox	Redsox	12-1
Giants vs Orioles	Orioles	8-6
Redsox vs Pamplin	Pamplin	6-4
Giants vs Yankees	Giants	5-3
Orioles vs Braves	Orioles	14-1
Pamplin vs Yankees	Rained Out	

STANDINGS

Teams	W	L
Giants	7	3
Redsox	7	3
Orioles	6	4
Pamplin	5	4
Yankees	2	7
Braves	2	8

Four receive district honors

Four Appomattox County High School varsity baseball players received recognition in voting for the 1982 All-Seminole District squad.

Named to the second all-district squad were Greg Mayberry, pitcher; Jody Williams, second base; Gary Ferguson, outfield; and Tim Bennett, outfield and designated hitter.

Mayberry was the Raiders' leading pitcher, compiling a 5-1 record and a 1.24 earned-run average. He was also the leading batter in home runs, triples and runs batted in, with five homers, three triples, and 20 RBIs.

Williams was a leading hitter with 21 base hits in 1982, including four doubles. He was also tough to strike out, with only eight strike-outs during the season.

Ferguson led the Raiders this year in hits (23), runs (21), batting average (.359), and only made one fielding error during the season. He also came to bat more than any other Raider this year, stepping to the plate a total of 64 times.

Bennett's .354 batting average this season was second only to Ferguson's, among regularly starting players. He had good power at the plate, with four doubles and a homer during the season. He was also a valuable pitcher, with a 5-1 record, and a 4.75 earned-run average.

GREG MAYBERRY AND GARY FERGUSON, two of the Raider varsity baseball team's outstanding players this season, were named to the All-Lynchburg-Area squad in a recent polling of area sportswriters.

Girls' basketball camp set

Under the direction of Verne Canfield, head basketball coach at Washington and Lee University and director of camps for the past 20 years, two weeks of girls basketball camp will be held in the Lynchburg area. The staff will consist of experienced local teacher and coaches as well as selected college players.

All camp instruction will be centered around the basic fundmentals of offense and defense. Emphasis will be on individual execution of the basics.

The camp fee is $35.00 per week and includes insurance and a skill manual and certificate for each camper enrolled.

Each session will be run Monday thru Friday at the following times and sites: July 12-17 at Brookville High School; July 19-23 at Randolph Macon Women's College. Morning sessions 9:00-12:00 for ages 9-14 and afternoon sessions 1:00-4:00 ages 15-17.

Please contact Mary Tolley at Appomattox County High (352-7146) or (248-5508) for further information.

INTERNATIONAL THINKING DAY was recently celebrated by local scouting troops at J. J. Fray in Rustburg. Brownie Troop 633 represented Germany. Junior Troop 957 represented the countries of Kinya, India and Greece. Brownie Troop 757 represented Mexico. Cadet Troop 833 represented Peru. The fiital troop was Brownie Troop 786 representing Switzerland. The girls each brought covered dishes from the various countries. Each group tried to share a little of the history, customs and language from the country it represented.

BERNARD AND MARY CHILDERS show two large sea trout they caught on a fishing outing this weekend. The fish, which each weighed eight pounds or more, were caught from a charter boat out of Lewes, Del. (Photo by Bill Sherrod)

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DAVID PAGE (r) and Kevin Mitchell (l) received honorable mentions for their entries in Mechanical Drawing I, both projects were Design inkings on a Base Tool Holder and Vibrator Machine Arm.

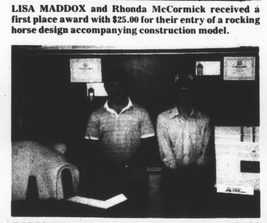
Drafting students excel

Drafting I and II students of Appomattox County High School took part in the recent Drafting and Design Fair held at Central Virginia Community College in Lynchburg.

Schools from throughout the area entered 196 various projects in machine, architectural, open classification and non-classified categories.

Local juniors and seniors won awards for 5 places from a total of only 6 entries made.

LISA MADDOX and Rhonda McCormick received a first place award with $25.00 for their entry of a rocking horse design accompanying construction model.



BOBBY THOMPSON received a first place award with $25.00 for a VHDA house construction model, Roy Trent (left) received a second place award with $12.00 for a dome house construction model.

Primary PTA meets

The May meeting of the Appomattox Primary School PTA was held May 20,1982 at the school.

For the program Trooper Danny Beamon of Appomattox, gave an interesting talk on some summer safety driving tips and the new Child Restraint Law that will be in effect July 1, 1982.

Mrs. Patricia Torrence, principal of Appomattox Primary School, awarded Mrs. Bonnie Herncall the Life Membership Award to the PTA and Mrs. Henrietta Johnson was awarded the Distinguished Service Award for forty-two years of teaching, forty-one of which was in Appomattox County.

Also at this meeting the new officers for the coming year were installed by Mr. Lloyd G. Walton.

Happiness is 4-H

A total of 56 4-H members completed and turned in June is Dairy Month 4-H Posters this year. Top winners in the age 9-11 group were: 1st Mary Helen McLaughlin, 2nd Keith Garrett and 3rd Christie Doss. In the 12-14 year old age group, 1st place went to Cheryl Simpson, 2nd Kim Fuller and 3rd Joanna Layne. The first place winners in each age group will be forwarded to the State Dairy Poster Contest in June. Winners in the state program receive electric homemade ice cream makers provided by the American Dairy Association.

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The Robert E. Lee Soil and Water Conservation District has awarded trips to the 1982 Youth Conservation Seminar on the Virginia Tech campus in August to Richard Conner, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. (Sonny) Conner and Darrell Conner, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. (Buddy) Conner. Richard, Darrell and Kenneth McClenny will represent Appomattox in the State 4-H Soils Contest in late June.

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A recent meeting of the Five County Fair Board of Directors serves as a reminder to begin promoting exhibits for the 1982 Five County Fair. We have several copies of the 1981 Fair Catalog left in our office if you would like one. The 1981 catalog will be similar enough to the 1982 Fair Catalog that it will serve as a planning guide in preparing exhibits. The new fair catalog will be available by early August.

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Twelve Senior 4-Hers will be traveling to Wisconsin as Interstate Exchange Delegates in late July. The twelve are: Marlene Watkins, Terri Nash, Karen Stevens, Robert Taylor, Steve Cyrus, Richard Conner, Connie Krantz, Donna Baldwin, Rose Christian, Maria King, Dale Glover, and Kathy Parsons.

Gifted & Talented advisors meet

The Parent Advisory Committee for the ACHS Gifted and Talented Program met on Tuesday, May 25, 1982, with four members present.

The purpose of the meeting was to review information received through program evaluations completed by parents and student participants and to receive suggestions for next year's program.

Among the very useful comments made by parents was the request for a newsletter to keep parents informed of program events and area cultural activities. A written progress report during the year would also solicit parent encouragement in completion of projects and program requirements.

A popular request by students was for a more diversified offering of opportunities and events. This suggestion would lead the program structure to include more group sessions for students in order that they obtain from each other ideas for projects.

The basic structure of the program will continue. Individual Educational Programs will be written for each participant and will include similar requirements of cultureal events and projects based upon the student's interest.

Interested parents may contact Mrs. Archer at the high school for further information about the program or about joining the Advisory committee.

Suzan Eye and Richard Conner

Suzan Eye chosen for '82 Governor's School

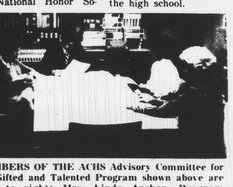
The Guidance Department of Appomattox County High School is pleased to announce the selection of Suzan Kimberly Eye as a participant in the 1982 Governor's School for the Gifted. Richard Cabell Conner has been selected as an alternate participant in the Governor's School.

Suzan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce M. Eye of Appomattox. A rising senior, Suzan will attend Governor's School at Mary Washington College, June 20-July 17. She is active in school and community activities and is currently Science Club president and a member of the National Honor Society, SCA Council, Annual Staff, Latin Club, and Drama Club. She is also a member of the varsity basketball and volleyball teams. Suzan plans to attend the College of William and Mary upon graduation from ACHS.

Richard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. "Sonny" Conner of Appomattox. He plans to attend the University of Virginia following graduation. Richard is active in extra-curricular activities and is presently vice-president of the Future Farmers of America and a member of the National Honor Society, SCA Council, Science Club, and Drama Club. Active in the 4-H Club, Richard has been a member of state and national award winning Forestry Judging Teams.

The Governor's School for the Gifted is designed to provide enrichment experiences for a limited number of rising junior and senior high school students who are academically gifted and/or artistically talented. Students from Virginia public schools were nominated by division superintendents on the basis of criteria provided by the State Department of Education. A selection committee at the state level carefully reviewed all nominations and 450 students were selected to become participants in the 1982 Governor's School for the Gifted.

The school will operate for four weeks at three centers: Longwood College, Mary Washington College, and Randolph-Macon Woman's College. Students in each of the three centers will be from various parts of the state; however, they will have one thing in common: their desire to explore academic and artistic pursuits at a level not always possible in the high school.



MEMBERS OF THE ACHS Advisory Committee for the Gifted and Talented Program shown above are (left to right) Mrs. Linda Archer, Program Coordinator, Mr. Don Armentrout, Principal, and parents, Mrs. Odell Coggins, and Mrs. E. L. Walton. Unable to attend was Mrs. E. L. McCoy, Sr.

Christine A. Campbell

AMHERST - Christine Ashley Angus Campbell, 62, of Route 2 died Tuesday morning, May 25 at Guggenheimer Memorial Hospital.

She is survived by her husband, Lewis Earl Campbell; three sons, Cameron Ray Angus of Amherst and John Sam Angus and David Warren Angus, both of Gladstone; four daughters, Mrs. Ethel Mae Gowen of Amherst, Mrs. Helen Elizabeth Cooper and Mrs. Hazel Burley, both of Lynchburg, and Mrs. Louise Marshall of Blacksburg; three brothers, George Ashley of Roanoke, Robert Ashley of Madison Heights and Gilbert Ashley of Arrington; two sisters, Mrs. Annie Lawhorne of Lynchburg and Mrs. Shirley Roach of Easton Gap; 23 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday at 2 p.m. from Driskill Funeral Chapel, Amherst, with interment in Amherst Cemetery.

Driskill Funeral Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

Williard Cordell Johnson

Willard Cordell Johnson, 62, of Route 2, Appomattox, died at 2:30 p.m. Monday in Lynchburg General Hospital.

Born in Appomattox County, he was the son of the late Charlie Lynch Johnson and Ruth Smith Johnson. He was a retired construction worker, a World War II veteran and a member of Liberty Baptist Church.

He is survived by three sons, Michael W. Johnson, Appomattox, Willard C. Johnson Jr., Spout Spring, and Larry D. Johnson, Lynchburg; two daughters, Sharon Johnson and Mrs. Ruth Litchford, both of Lynchburg; four brothers, Elon O Johnson, Charlie G. Johnson and Cawthorne Johnson, all of Appomattox, and Milton C. Johnson, Ashland; one sister, Mrs. M. T. Tuck, Lynchburg; and six grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday from Robinson Funeral Home, Appomattox by the Rev. Rex Bennett. Burial was in Liberty Cemetery.

Elizabeth Harding Latta

WILMINGTON, DEL. - Mrs. Elizabeth Harding Latta, 69, died on Saturday, May 29, in the Cornelia Nixon-Davis Nursing Home.

Born December 11, 1912, she was the daughter of Colin Hughes and Abbie Mai Randolph Harding.

A member of the St. Anne's Episcopal Church, she is survived by her husband, William M. Latta, Sr., a son, W. M. Latta Jr., of Burlington, N. C.; one daughter, Mrs. Edward E. Hall, one sister, Mrs. C. J. Royster, both of Raleigh, North Carolina and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Sunday, at three o'clock in the afternoon at the Oakdale Cemetery, the Reverend John C. Mott, officiating.

Ward-Smith Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Max Quinten Marcus Sr.

Max Quinten Marcus Sr., 61, of Route 1, Spout Spring, died at 2 a.m. Wednesday at his home. He was the husband of Lois Day Marcus.

Born in Swain County, N. C., he was a son of Frank Marcus of Bedford. He was a machinist with Mead Corp. and an Army veteran of World War II.

In addition to his wife and parents, he is survived by four sons, Max Quinten Marcus Jr. of Bedford and Daniel Lee Marcus, Barry D. Marcus and Richard A. Marcus, all of Spout Spring; two daughters, Deborah M. Steely of Richmond and Renda N. Marcus of Spout Spring, and seven grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Friday at Whitten Timberlake Chapel by the Rev. David Engleman. Burial will be in Fort Hill Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 7 to 9 p.m. today and at other times at the residence.

Walter Guy Midkiff

RED HOUSE - Walter Guy Midkiff, 82, Route 1, Red House, died Saturday morning, May 29, at his home.

He was born April 11, 1900, in Halifax County, a son of the late William Thomas and Lou Ella Blanks Midkiff. He was a member of Providence Baptist Church and a retired farmer. His wife was the late Cecil Clark Midkiff.

He is survived by one son, William Thomas (Tommy) Midkiff, Red House; two granddaughters, Kymberley and Khrysti Midkiff, both of Red House; one brother, James Midkiff, Halifax; three sisters, Mrs. Mary M. Baines, Phenix, Mrs. Gracie M. Midkiff, Halifax, and Mrs. Alease M. Smoot, South Boston.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday at the Providence Baptist Church at Red House by the Rev. Regiland Warren, with burial in the church cemetery.

Henderson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

R. W. Pugh

DARLINGTON HEIGHTS - Robert Woodrow Pugh, 69, a farmer of Darlington Heights, died Sunday, May 23 at the Lynchburg General Hospital.

Born in Charlotte County June 12, 1912, he was a son of the late William Douglas Pugh and Alice Clark Pugh.

He was a veteran of World War II and a member of the Rough Creek Presbyterian Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Lois Bailey Pugh, of Darlington Heights; one daughter, Mrs. Jane P. Mays, of Farmville; seven sisters, Mrs. Lillian Rosser, of Cullen, Mrs. Eleanor Bell, of Philadelphia, Pa., Mrs. Lucille Callow, of Hope Mills, N. C., Mrs. Shirley Carter, of Fayetteville, N. C., Mrs. Kathleen Gilliam, of Portsmouth, and Mrs. Dorothy Tinsley and Mrs. Frances Fitch, both of Richmond; and two brothers, Douglas Pugh, of Chester and Cecil Pugh, of Charlotte Court House.

Funeral services were held today (Tuesday) at 3 p.m. at Spring Creek Baptist Church, with interment in the church cemetery.

Arrangements were made by Doyne-Burer Funeral Home, Farmville.

Mrs. J. Melvin Wilson

Bertha Alvis Wilson, 85, of 1813 Grace St. died at 9 a.m. Wednesday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Annie A. Williams, 1811 Grace St. She was the wife of the late John Melvin Wilson.

Born in Appomattox County, she was a daughter of the late James Wesley and Lula Beale Alvis. She was a retired employee of Craddock-Terry Shoe Corp. where she was a member of the Quarter Century Club. She was a member of Sandusky Baptist Church.

In addition to her sister, Mrs. Williams, she is survived by a number of nieces and nephews.

Graveside services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Friday in Spring Hill Cemetery by the Rev. Ralph Jackson.

The family will be at the residence.

Whitten Park Avenue Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

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